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GREAT BARGAIN
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——CORSETS,——
J. & C. SWISS GORE CORSETS
worth $1.00 will be sold for
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PERFECT FIT
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"Where are you going my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to Whitman's, kind sir, to trade"
"Why do you go there, my pretty waid?"
"His stock is the very largdst in the city, sir," she said
"But how are his prices, my pretty maid?"
"They're lower than any one else has made?"
"Pleased with your company sir," she said,
So then these two the lad and maid,
Went hurrying off to trade:
And when the lad went home he said,
"I've found the very best bargain maid."
You can do the saue by trading at

C. M. WHITMAN'S,

ORIGINAL ONE PRICE CLOTHING, HAT AND FURNISHING GOODS HOUSE, No. 18 SOUTH ERIE ST.

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THE JEWELER
New and Complete stock in all the very latest stwles.
Sterling SILVERWARE,
Dozens, Half Dozens, Single pieces.
Diamonds,
Watches
Jewelry.
Largest Stock in the City
NO. 5 ERIE STREET.

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Shelves and Counters
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Massillon Bee Hive

CASH STORE.
are now being
LOADED WITH SPRING DRY GOODS
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Mr. Putman is just back from New York and Philadelphia, where he selected one of the largest ever brought to the city of Massillon.
Watch This Space
For Exceptional Bargains.
Respectfully,
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SEE GEORGE SNYDER
Before you buy your
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GRAND PALACE HOTEL,
81 to 83 North Clark Street, CHICAGO
5 Minutes from court house.
Both Plans.
Weekly $3.00. Transients, 50c up.
Restaurant by Compagnon, late Chi. Club Chef.
Popular Prices. New House.
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TO THE PUBLIC.
JAN KEE
Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minich block and No. 1 East Tremont street.
has started a first-class
New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Stree
Where he will be prepared to show to the public the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.
New Shirts, 13c, 2 for 25c Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c Ladies Collars, 2 for 5c. Cuffs, 4c.

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All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box, 47.
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50 NEW STYLE
CARRIAGES
Finest Selection Ever Shown in the City at
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FURNITURE
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Select Your Spring Suit
FROM A STOCK OF
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And you will be sure to get the proper thing. I am showing a very nice line of fancy silk vestings. Prices the lowest.
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Austin & McIsaac
Will open a magnificent line of
BOOTS & SHOES,
No. 15 East Main St.
SATURDAY, MARCH 14.
Stock all New. Prices Reasonable. Your Patronage Solicited.

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.
For Sale—Residences
Four room house, South Erie street, corner lot $1,400
Four room (double) house, two out-kithens $2,000
Six roomed house, double lot, Richville Ave. $1500.
Seven roomed house, Wellman street, $2,700
For Rent.
Store room, Stone Block.
Store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891.
Business Property.
Ninety-two feet front on Erie street, on P., Ft. W & C. Ry., and Ohio canal. Unexcelled location for manufactory.
Vacant Lots.
One lot on West Tremont street, $425
One lot on South Erie street, $600.
Two lots on Wechter street, $225.
Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add., $300 to $45
Nineteen lots in my Richville Ave. add., $21
One lot on South Erie street, in Julia M. Jarvis sub-division, $550.
One lot on East Main street, best lot on the stree $2,100.
One lost just off West Tremont street, $300.
Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & L. E. railroads, $300.
also have on my list many choice Western lands for sale or exchange, and many other bargains.
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Long Time,
Low Interest
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5 cans best Peaches	$1 00
5 cans best Apricots	1 00
12 cans Tomatoes	1 00
Good Broom	10
Golden drip Syrup per gal	35
Good Tea Per Pound	25

All other goods proportionally low.
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Proprietor,
No. 1, West Main Street.
Massillon, Ohio.

KNOX AND BROADWAY SILK HATS,
J. B. Stetson Fine Soft Hats,
Elegant line of Spring Styles in Derby and Crush Hats. See the latest in children's Fancy caps. Full line of
PERRINS FINE KID GLOVES.
Remember we are strictly hatters and men's furnishers. We can show you more styles and better goods than half dozen clothing stores in the county.
SPANGLER, & CO. HATTERS
No. 4 EAST MAIN ST.

LAST EDITION.

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TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio—Thursday, clearing, colder.

TO-NIGHT, at the new Christian church, lecture on alcohol, by Prof. E. A. Jones; at the mayor's office, meeting of the Republican condidates.

Miss Katie Rippel is visiting at Strasburg.

Mrs. W. D. Clause left this morning for Cleveland.

Mrs. Chas. Millard is very ill with rheumatism.

Charles Morgetson and Bert Lynch are visiting in Canton.

Miss Helen Meeker has returned to her home in Alliance.

Joseph A. Reed is candidate for county recorder, not auditor.

Mr. C. B. Heckman is again able to be about after a long illness.

Mrs. Jacob Walls celebrated her seventy-fifth birthday to day.

W. R. Hire, of Beach City, was in the city last night, on business.

Mrs. Addie Rehman, of Ft. Wayne, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Raser.

J. N. Merwin is indisposed and confined to his home with la grippe.

Mrs. Theo. Brown, of Plum street, is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Thomas Hopkinson is a Republican candidate for assessor in the third ward

Service at St. Timothy's church was conducted last night by the Rev. Asahel Bresee.

John Roseman has rented a room in the Schworm block, now occupied by Jonas Lutz.

E. Baker has removed his dye works from the western city limits to No. 84 West Main street.

Fred McEwen, day operator at the Ft. Wayne station, is in Columbiana county visiting relatives.

Peter Wilhelm, of Massillon, was in Wooster. His marriage was a false report.—Wooster Democrat.

Julius Ditmar and wife, of New Philadelphia, came up this afternoon to visit the family of Councilman John A. Seiler.

Mr. W. R. Woodford, superintendent of the W. & L. E. road, and his bride, returned to Toledo, yesterday, from their tour abroad.

Donecker & Sanford contemplate opening a commission house in this city. The matter of procuring a suitable location is in charge of J. E. Smith.

Jim Emery, who has been head cook at the Hotel Conrad for a number of years, has taken a similar position at the American House in Wooster.

Canal Superintendent A. W. Hall is in the city to-day. He thinks that the canals will get their usual appropriations and that the Howells bill is dead.

A typographical error made it appear that the Rev. C. Christianson would deliver his first sermon in this city on April 17. It should have been April 19.

E. H. Seeley will go to Crestline this evening to attend the funeral of his only grandchild, the the six-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stine.

Coroner J. W. Openheimer will take testimony in the Davis case, death alleged to have resulted from quackery, Friday afternoon at 2:15 in the mayor's court room.

With regard to the local street rail way matters there is nothing new, nor can there be anything for some time. Statements as to persons and plans, THE INDEPENDENT learns, are purely of a speculative character.

Mr. Jas. H. Hunt has gone to Pittsburg to attend the bench show, particularly to see the rivals of his splendid St. Bernard, Don H., at the New York bench show, Sir Bedivere and Alton, who are in the Pittsburg show this week.

The bazaar given yesterday for the Episcopal church, by little Misses Mabel Dielhenn, Florence Dangler and Anna Willenborg proved a financial success, and was attended by many church people. Everything was sold.

One of the large plate glass in the new front of Dielhenn Bros.' storeroom was accidentally broken yesterday evening by a stepladder falling against it. A duplicate of it will cost fifty-three dollars without the freight charges. It was not insured.

"Stant" Howells left this morning for Detroit, Mich., with the view of locating either in that city or at some other point in that section of the country. If he does not succeed in securing a congenial situation he expects to return to Massillon, but will not return for four or five months.

Light Inspector Fisher wants to pay a big reward to somebody who will tell him who cut the rope of the electric lamp in West Tremont street, near the Ft. Wayne bridge last night. It was an outrageous act, and one which might have had serious consequences.

The tramp nuisance continues unabated. Last night Edward Tordt found one behaving very suspiciously in the rear of his residence, who, when watched, disappeared in Diamond Alley, and was seen a few minutes later entering Mrs. J. F. Paul's back yard. When spoken to he gave an impudent answer, and doubtless meant mischief, had he not been frightened away.

The lecture by Prof. E. A. Jones this evening, at the new Disciple church, will begin at 7:45. Subject, "Alcohol, Its Effects on the Human System." The lecture will be preceded by a piano solo by Miss Anna Edgar, a recitation by Miss Nellie King, and a selection by a male quartette, consisting of Messrs. Mitchell, Manly, J. E. and William Johns. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

George H. Ford, of Burton, Geauga county, national bank examiner for this part of Ohio, is in the city, discharging his official duties. Mr. Burton is required to examine all national banks, personally, and at least once a year, and oftener if occasion requires. He is given access to all books, collaterals and papers and is expected to promptly criticize any business transactions which do not meet his approval.

A story was afloat on the streets yesterday that Agnes Wallace Villa, of the "World Against Her" company, had attempted to commit suicide in this city about sixteen years ago by jumping into the canal lock near the paper mill, the effort at self-destruction being frustrated by the promptness of a gentleman witness of the act, who jumped into the water and rescued her. According to the story as narrated to THE INDEPENDENT, the rash act was induced through business difficulties between members of the travelling company, at that time known as the Wallace sisters. But a considerable pail of cold water was thrown on the splendid tale (if it had been true) when the reporter questioned Mr. E. B. Baylis in reference to it. That gentleman said: "When the Wallace Sisters used to come here James H. McLain, P. G. Albright and myself were managers of the opera house. I knew all the Wallace sisters personally and also their mother, and am positive that nothing of the kind ever occurred."

MARVELOUS TECHNIQUE.

The Sternberg-Rouse Recital Thoroughly a Success.

A large audience listened to the Sternberg-Rouse recital last night. Sternberg plays eveything and what is more, plays everything well. His playing is all fire, dash and vigor. The Saint-Saens Gluck, Caprice, and Rheinberger Fugue were a revelation as played by him. Phrasing, expression, rythm—the meaning of these words must have been plain to every one who listened to the pianist. In the Scarlatti sonata he was bright, clear and fresh as spring water. Jensen's beautiful Nocturne was not played on the piano, —the piano sang it, and everybody felt that it did. Traumenswirren, by Schumann, was given as it ought to be, the first movement brilliant and the other dreamy. Sternberg is the champion of American music, and he always plays some numbers by composers on this side of the pond. The Concert Etude in octaves, by Boothe, Philadelphia, he had to repeat as the audience insisted on a repetition. He played it at an enormous speed. The octaves were clear and solid. His own compositions were liked very much. They are like himself—original. The Liszt Polonaise showed a remarkable technique and endurance and was well given.

Mrs. B. L. Rouse is a mezzo soprano of remarkable calibre. Her voice is boundless. She is dramatic and very musical. It goes as a matter of course that she sang well. W. G. Smith's lovely song, "Look in my heart and see," was encored. The composer himself accompanied all of Mrs. Rouse's numbers. All in all there is no room for adverse criticism The concert was an entire success and Mr. Feuchtinger deserves praise for the management, and should have it in the form of a popular request for a course of musical recitals next year.

Sternberg's Explanations.

Mr. Sternberg's consideration in giving a short explanation of his notable selections before playing them was greatly appreciated. Especially was this true in introducing the American compositions, his plea for contemporary composers being sensible and apposite. He referred to the fact that in 1865, when he, a child, was a Leipsic student, the masters, then slaves to "time" and the cardinal features of much old style music, forbade the playing of the works of Chopin, Schumann, and that other musical heretic Liszt. The result of this prohibition was that the students in secret studied the infidel productions, and in spite of the disapproval of the Leipsic professors, the works of the artists mentioned came into fixed popular favor. If the Leipsic faculty could make such mistakes, certainly it was incumbent on modern pianists to devote at least a portion of their time to composers of their own day, and give them a chance, at least. Mr. Sternberg predicted of Jensen, the paralytic, who wrote 99 per cent. of his compositions in the years of his physical distress, a future fame to be surpassed by few.

"The World Against Her."

A fair sized audience greeted Agnes Wallace Villa in the opera house last night. The support of the company was good throughout, but Mrs. Villa did not meet the expectations of her audience, although a good emotional actress. The costumes were elegant and in good taste.

To reduce my stock, preparatory to making extensive improvements in my store rooms, I will offer my entire stock of groceries, queensware and lamps, at and below cost, for 30 days. Wm. A. Pietzcker, proprietor Enterprise grocery, No. 1 West Main street.

There will be a special meeting of Clinton Lodge No. 47, F. & A. M., on Friday evening, March 13, for the purpose of conferring a degree.
L. L. NAVE, W. M.

Leave your Saturday orders for strawberries and vegetables at Master & Vogt.

Best smoked meat 10 cents per pound at A. J. Wire.

Fresh coffee at 20 cents per pound at A. J. Wire.

Cheese, 10 cents per pound at A. J. Wire.

Pop corn and Rambo apples at A. J. Wire.

Tiddledy winks at Baltzly's.

HORRIBLY MUTILATED.

A W. & L. E. TRAIN JUMPS THE TRACK AT NAVARRE.

Everybody Escapes Except the Unfortunate Mail Agent, who is Frightfully Injured and is Unlikely to Recover.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

NAVARRE, March 12.—The W. & L. E. express train No. 5, south-bound, due here at 1:35 p. m., standard time, was derailed 600 yards above the station this afternoon, all the passengers escaping in safety, Mail Agent McLean alone sustaining injuries which in all probability will cost him his life.

IT WAS A DEFECTIVE SWITCH.

Investigation discloses the fact that a defective switch rod caused the accident. It is surmised that an essential bolt was broken by the north bound train, a short time before. No. 5's engine passed the frog in safety, but the trucks of the cars failed to do so, some of the wheels clinging to one track, and some to another. The jar was sufficient to break the engine's coupling, or the result would have been more disastrous.

As it was, the three cars composing Conductor Seese's train were wrecked, especially the baggage and express car, and the rear car. The middle coach, although it toppled over, sustained the least damage. The destruction was confined largely to the trucks and the under portions of the cars.

M'LEAN'S FRIGHTFUL WOUNDS.

Mail Agent McLean's home is in Carroll county, but in his present condition nothing further can be learned of him. It is supposed that he felt the shock and jumped from the car's side door. Where he alighted there is a clump of willow bushes, which have recently been trimmed, and falling heavily upon the sharp pointed branches he was horribly wounded. There is a hole in his right side fully six inches long, from which the bowels protrude. He was also struck upon the head. He was taken to the station on a handcar, and examined by Dr. Gans, who at once sent for Dr. Ridenour, the company surgeon, at Massillon. It is marvellous that the fifteen or eighteen passengers escaped as they did, without anything worse than a scare. P. G. Albright and J. M. Clark of Massillon were upon the train. The track will be clear in two hours.

IT FAILED TO CONNECT.

A Queer Feature Concerning the Heated Political Situation.

An incident going to show the desperation of the leaders of local Democracy in their determination to win in the fight for a hose cart driver transpired in connection with the balloting in the council chamber Thursday night. When the first recess was ordered the Republican members all left the chamber for lunch; and during their absence some one wrote Ed. Ertle's name on four or more slips of paper and placed them on the desks of Messrs. Leu and Cameron among other slips of about the same size, with the writing turned down. The scheme was for one or both members to write Dobson's name on the same ballots, and when the fraudulent ballot was found in the hat it would be cast out and the Democratic candidate would have been elected. A party leader admitted that the plot was accurately described, and that a slip having the names of both candidates written on it would have been thrown out, but said in the way of apology for the plot that it was worked openly and it was the duty of the Republicans to keep their eyes open in cases of this kind.

A Sneak Thief at Large.

Jacob Graze went from his place of business to his home Tuesday night with his sturdy frame encased, as far as outer apparel was concerned, only in a cardigan jacket. During business hours his overcoat and undercoat hang on a hook at his desk, but when he was ready to don them at the time stated both garments had disappeared. He found them the next morning in a Main street saloon, and, remembering who had been in the store late that night, was soon satisfied in his own mind that he could put his hand on the thief. The suspected individual—a one-armed character about town—was charged with the act and admitted it, but plead in extenuation that he was drunk and did not intend to keep the coats. Mr. Graze gave the worthless fellow a talking to which he will not soon forget, but magnimously refrained from having him punished by the law.

Big Panic in Paris.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

PARIS, March 12.—A big financial panic exists, and the Societie des Depots De Comptes Canvants is experiencing a great run. The government has been asked for aid. The bank needs 50,000,000 francs. The government declines to assist, as does the Bank of France.

London stock exchange very panicky over the reports.

Declared Unconstitutional.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—The supreme court this morning knocked out the Cincinnati board of city affairs, on the ground that it is unconstitutionally created. Two of the judges dissent. This is one of the boards created by the present legislature.

To the Ladies of Massillon.

To all who are interested in ceramic art, a cordial invitation is extended to call at the Hotel Conrad next Tuesday, March 17th, from 1 to 4 p. m., where Mrs. M. L. Myers will have a display of decorated china and the latest novelties. She will also have on sale a complete line of Worcester and grounding colors, and will also show you something new and useful in silk painting.

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This Date in History—March 12.

HENRY BERGH.

1508—Death of Cæsar Borgia
1684—Birth of Bishop Berkeley, metaphysician; died 1753
1813—The people arose to expel the French from Germany at the king's appeal, and formed the landwehr, or militia
1854—Treaty of alliance formed between England, France and Turkey
1861—Southern commissioners refused an audience by the president at Washington
1862—Cavalry fight near Lexington, Mo.
1866—New reform bill introduced in England by Mr. Gladstone.
1866—Decree issued asserting Prussian jurisdiction over Holstein.
1875—Prussia prohibited the exportation of horses.
1888—Henry Bergh, philanthropist and founder of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, died in New York; born 1823.
1889—Prohibition defeated in New Hampshire.
1889—Dr. T. B. McDow, of Charleston, murdered Capt. F. W. Dawson, editor of The Charleston News and Courier.
1889—John G. Davis, admiral U. S. navy, retired, aged 64, in Washington.
1890—Judge McComas, who signed the warrant for John Brown's execution, died at Fort Scott, Kan., aged 74.

Big Ed Ertle, Boss!

Pulverize the Bum Power!

One specification is worth a dozen glittering generalities.

It is a question of but little time when there must be a platting commission.

Edmund B. King, of Sandusky, is a Republican candidate for attorney general.

THE INDEPENDENT has some anoynmous friend who has aptly illustrated by a cartoon, the situation as regards Boss Ertle.

When it comes to disposing of the tramp nuisance, the most effiaccious method known to history is the application of iron jewelry, coupled with the enforced use of the shovel and the hoe on the public streets. Like THE INDEPENDENT'S want column, it does its perfect work. When gentlemen of the genus tramp get to flourishing revolvers at defenseless girls, prowling around back doors, and doing anything but honest work, pity is superfluous, and the thing to do is to get rid of the public pests.

OUR FRIENDS, THE ENEMY.

The political machine in New York is in a bad way and Mr. Watterson has gone on smashing it with his epistilory genius, like the traditional bull in the china shop.

The Watterson letter to Hill—the famous letter which never came, started the amusement. The Tammany governor vowed he never received it, and prononnced it impertinent under any circumstances. Of course Mr. Watterson could not endure that sort of thing in silence, hence he submitted to a published interview the other day, in which the following gems of thought occur:

"It is true Governor Hill and I had no correspondence. But the first time I met him he poured out his griefs into my ear for three hours. He told me all about his Cleveland troubles, and in his differences with Mr. Cleveland, I think Mr. Cleveland is largely in the wrong. If he had gone to Mr. Cleveland and said, 'Here, Mr. Cleveland, there is an imputation that I sold out in 1888; it is not true, but I am going to elect you,' and if he had then taken hold and nominated him and managed the canvass and elected Cleveland, nothing in the world could have kept Hill down in 1896. The whole country would have gone for him with tremendous enthusiasm. As it is, he will go into the senate and be lost. He is nothing but a good organizer, anyhow. Of course he's a bright, level-headed man, but he's not an orator or debater. There are plenty of men in the senate who will overmatch him—Morgan, Gray, Vorhees, Reagan, George, Butler. He will lose control of the machine, and that will be the end of him."

That lets the cat out of the bag, and no mistake. It shows that the differences between the Pharasaical ex-president and the Tammuny governor are real, and not Republican imaginings, and the reference to the governor as a mere engineer without statesmanlike ability is certainly far from complimentary. In the Courier Journal Mr. Watterson follows up the interview, thus:

"In the midst of the rejoicing which follwed the November elections and the Democratic ground swell they brought us, one disonant note was heard, one discouraging word was spoken, and to the this effect that the victory was too great to last, and that before the presidential campaign of 1892 we could be relied on to perpetrate some folly setting it all at naught. Four short months have passed away and already signs are not wanting that point to the verification of this sinister prophecy.

"Two points of disturbance are being advanced to mar our counsel. One of these relates to the renomination of Mr. Cleveland, the other to the adoption of some as yet undefined but altered policy as to silver coinage.

"Touching the first of these, the reflection ought to lessen the anxiety of those opposed to it, that it depends largely, if not wholly, upon the action of the Democrats of New York.

"If New York comes to the next national Democratic convention resisting the nomination of Mr. Cleveland or seriously divided upon it, his nomination would be suicidal.

"In that event the party will be compelled to quit New York altogether and to seek for a nomination elsewhere, for nothing could be more absurd than the suggestion of setting aside Mr. Cleveland and substituting Gov. Hill or any other New Yorker in his place."

All of which is respectfully submitted as showing that Democracy is in a very bad way, at the present time.

This is the story of a discussion between a lot of congressional pages during the last session:

"One of the smaller pages broke the drift of the conversation by remarking that he knew who was the biggest man in the country, and announced Blaine as the individual. This was immediately challenged, but the little fellow stood his ground. 'You see,' said he, 'the morning after that Blaine letter Dockery an' John Allen was talkin', Dockery says, 'John, Blaine's a bigger man than his party.' An' Allen says, 'Don't you forget it, John, ole boy, Blaine's a bigger man than both parties.'"

And the page was not far from right

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Snatches of News from City and the Court House.

CANTON, March 13.—Miss Leys, a Boston spiritualist, has been lecturing to believers of that faith in Canton.

A deal is reported as in progress whereby the ownership of the street car system here will pass into the hands of F. A. Wilcox, the present secretary and treasurer.

The examination of the county treasury has been completed. The amount of cash on hand is $179,975.

Marriage licenses have been issued to George Newton and Rachel May Kayler, of Bolivar; Joseph Simon and Louisa Haidet, of Barryville.

'Squire Fulmer broke broke his left leg by an unlucky fall on an icy pavement.

Miss Poole and U. G. Gilliland have been taken to the Toledo insane asylum.

Court this morning ordered the McConnell estate to be divided among the heirs. The sheriff has received his ordeas of partition and will divide the land in a few days.

The Neighborhood Press.

BLAME IT ON M'KINLEY.

For the first time in the history of Wooster a U. S. internal revenue officer will come April 1st to release a shipment of sugar from bond. It is in bond at the refinery in the East, and will be shipped unbroken to Zimmerman & Co., at Wooster, who must take it out of bond before they can sell it. The shipmen is 100 barrels, and for the first time since the war granulated sugar will be sold at retail for not over six cents a pound.—Wooster Democrat.

At Beach Grove School.

The winter term of school was closed in sub-district No. 11, Tuscarawas, and known as Beach Grove, on the 10th, D. W. Walter, teacher. Mr. Walter has been engaged to teach the same school during the summer term, commencing on the 23d. David knows that to be successful means success Literary will close at the same schoolhouse on the 19th. The East Greenville band is expected to be present and will discourse some musical selections. Instead of a debate, the feature of the evening will be a mock trial. Much fun is expected.

Mr. Baer's Musical Plans.

Failing health and many solicitations induce me to devote a portion of my time to music. I will receive a limited number of pupils in music study and violin practice. I will also rearrange and adjust music to suit the requirements of any number and combination of instruments and all grades of performers, securing to small orchestras, the beauty of harmony, volume of tone, style and character of music as intended by the composer, and imparted by larger orchestras. Will manage and personally lead an orchestra of my own soon as a suitable and efficient organization can be effected, and will guarantee satisfaction in every respect, as in the past. Due notice will be given at to orchestra.

H. C. BAER.

The want column is authority on "situations and help wanted."

THE TOWNS ROUNDABOUT

Elton.

Messrs. Boughman, Burkholder and Wearstler were delegates from this place to the Alliance meeting at Canton Saturday.

Mr. Samuel Baughman, jr., attended a big fox chase near Dalton, Saturday.

Mr. Frank McFarren returned from Indiana last week and will remain until after his father's sale.

Mr. Jacob McFarren, who was so unfortunate as to break his leg three weeks ago, was very ill with pleurisy Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Isaac Shilling is the guest of his son, Clark, and his daughter, Mrs. Brinkr.

Mr. Cooper Chidester, who has had a long siege with lung feter, is gaining rapidly.

The Alliance will be addressed at Goat Hill by Mr. Bixler. It is expected that there will be ladies present that evening.

Mr. Painter, of New Portage, is spending a few days with Mr. Samuel Baughman, sr.

Mr. Ed Eby has located in Indiana.

Mt. Eaton.

Carlton Blosser is sick with lung fever.

Mrs. Ross Koontz is another victim of lung fever.

Rev. Christman conducted a funeral at Wilmot, Friday.

Philip Graber was in Wooster, Tuesday.

Miss Emma Bringger, after a few weeks sojourn among friends in Dalton, returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Mary Swartz, of New Philadelphia, was the guest of Miss Ora Schlafly a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Westcott and Miss Callie Saubain visited friends in Dalton, Sunday.

Mrs. David McDoweil, of Moscow, Miss Maud McDowell, of near Dalton, and Miss Eva Amman, of Orrville, visited friends in town Sunday.

Rev. D. M. Christman and A. C. Stuck, of this place, met J. J. Stuck and Mr. Frederick, two Farmers' Alliance men, of near Wilmot, at Rocky Dale school house east of town Friday evening, to discuss the question. Resolved, that National banks should be abolished. Mt. Eaton carried off the laurels.

Prof. King and wife will visit our town again this month, the 15th, to hold a singing school convention. They need no praise, for the good they did in our town last fall, speak for itself.

A very agreeable and pleasant surprise was given James Hunsinger last Thursday evening, it being his 21st birthday Party plays and taffy pulling were the amusement for the evening, after which they all returned to their respective places of abode feeling it was well to be there.

Ulysses Marchand, aged 69 years, died at his home in this place Wednesday, the 4th. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Christman, Saturday morning and was buried in the old cemetery.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A Friend of the Schools Makes an Inquiry.

MR EDITOR:—Your article regarding the election of a new board of education was read with a good deal of interest. I was greatly surprised that this important matter had not been brought before the public long before this. The writer is in favor of continuing the board of education as heretofore, but the question arises, would that body be legally constituted in case that the Gaumer bill should fail to pass the senate, and would a board of that kind have any right to transact business? Another question is whether or not the members elected under the old way are legally entitled to a seat in the new board. As the elections are close at hand it would perhaps be well to obtain some light on the subject. A FRIEND OF THE SCHOOLS.

Now is the Time

When a good medicine should be taken to cleanse the system of impurities. Before consulting a physician or purchasing a higher priced blood purifier ask Morganthaler & Heister for a bottle of Scotch Sarsaparilla and try it. 50 cents per bottle, 50 doses. Scotch Little Liver Pills 25 cents.

Sickness Among Children.

Especially infants, is prevalent more or less at all times, but is largely avoided by giving proper nourishment and wholesome food. The most successful and reliable of all is the Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk. Your grocer keeps it.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank all my friends and neighbors, St. Joseph's Society and Russell & Co.'s employes for their kind assistance during the illness and final death of my husband, Mr. John Marx.

MRS. JOHN MARX.

Ask your dealer for "Enterprise Mill" white loaf flour. Take no other.

Be Sure

If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. A Boston lady, whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

"In one store where I went to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla the clerk tried to induce me buy their own instead of Hood's; he told me their's would last longer; that I might take it on ten

To Get

days' trial; that if I did not like it I need not pay anything, etc. But he could not prevail on me to change. I told him I had taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, knew what it was, was satisfied with it, and did not want any other. When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly

Hood's

stand. I looked like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it." MRS. ELLA A. GOFF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

The friends of Will C. Russell are glad to hear again to-day that he is improving right along.

Mr. Levi Cecil, who has been under weather for some time, is attending to his duties under difficulties. It can at least be said he is never lonesome, as he does not go out alone, being always accompanied in all his preambulations by a good, healthy, robust carbuncle, which insists in embracing him about the neck.

Mr Frank Reed, who has very commendably observed the desires of his associates in business, as expressed in the Echoes, and suffered himself to undergo general repairs, has now the clean cut appearance, and elastic step of a man of affairs, and has been highly complimented by Fred Foster, who is conceded by all to be a good judge of tonsorial effects from the fierce thorn bush cut of a Sioux brave down to the long haired simplicity of the ancient Puritan, has tried most of them himself. Great are the reforms of the Echoes.

Many of the boys are condoling with the winsome Ed. Martin to-day. The dull thuds of a stuffed club could be heard to-day up in a third story ware room during dinner hour, as he belabored himself around the room, and poured blessings upon the head of the "feller that put the piece in the paper," whom he has been looking for with an ax. He is mistaken in the author. It was the other "feller" who gave it away. He now declores that all his flirtations are over.

Important Suit Settled.

A brief paragraph in THE INDEPENDENT'S Canton correspondence, yesterday, announced the fact that the civil action entitled "The Warwick Coal Company vs. James Bayliss" had been dismissed in Judge Taylor's court, at the request of the plaintiff. The main points in the case, in brief, are as follows: Mr. Warwick claimed a coal lease of forty acres of Mr. Bayliss's section in Tuscarawas township, alleging that a verbal lease had been entered into by Mr. Bayliss in February, 1888, and the object of the litigation was to secure enforcement of the alleged verbal contract. Six prospect holes were drilled on the tract by Mr. Warwick, but the prospecting was then abandoned for the reason that the largest vein of coal found was only three feet and seven inches—not large enough to justify the opening of it. Mr. Bayliss then sold the tract to E. G. Krause & Co., and when the latter reached the boundary line of the tract in question with the entry of their mine Mr. Warwick got out an injunciion restraining them from proceeding any further. The Krause company also got out an injunction restraining Mr. Warwick from developing the coal under the tract—which is supposed to be of considerable extent at the present terminus of the Krause company's entry—and both the injunctions are yet inforce.

Big Ed's Promenade.

It was a sight to touch the hearts of gods and men to observe, yesterday afternoon, at scarcely 5 o'clock, the manly form of Big Ed Ertle, the Democratic Boss, threading his stately way up Main street, followed by a dozen admiring newsboys, who gazed with increasing wonder at the political hero of the hour.

BEWARE! TAKE CARE!

Suits have been brought at Canton against the National Capital Savings Building and Loan Association of Chicago. They are brought by Cantonians, who hearing nothing of the company since paying the membership fee, have become frightened as to its reliability. A loan made has been attached to cover the claimes of the Canton creditors. There are a number of these so-called savings institutions doing business around this country, and we think they are decidedly shady. Very little money will ever be drawn out of them.—Louisville Herald.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder—Highest of all in leavening strength—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 7, 1889*

A Fountain Pen for 10 Cents.

The new fountain pen is much better than the old favorite, and in many respects as good as its high-priced brother. The Independent Co

Combination Chair and Stepladder

I will be in the city for a few days with more of those convenient combination chairs and stepladders. Any person wishing one can leave their order at No. 26 North Mill street. ISAAC SIEGFRIED.

So many have been cured of rheumatism by Hood's Sarsaparilla that we urge all who suffer from this disease to try this medicine.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS

—AND—

Furnishing-- Goods

—AT A—

Reduction of 25 Per Cent

—AT—

DIELHENN'S CLOTHING STORE.

UNTIL APRIL 1

J. & H. DIELHENN,

11 E. Main and 6 S. Erie St., - Massillon, O.

For Bargains in Carriages & Wagons See P. H. Young

The Massillon Market.

Farmers are receiving the following prices to-day, March 12.

Wheat, per bu	95
Oats " "	45-47
Corn " "	60-65
Potatoes per bu	1.10
Butter per lb	22
Eggs per doz	15

Crushed limestone for walks. Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK,
MASSILLON, OHIO, March 2, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that D. F. Henry, William H. Graham and J. W. McClymonds, have on this the 2nd day of March, 1891, made application to the Council of Massillon, Ohio, for permission to construct and operate a street railroad in the following streets, viz:

Beginning at the corporation line on Main street, thence west to corporation line of same street. Beginning at the corporation line on Akron street, thence south to Cherry street, thence west on Cherry to Mill street, south on Mill street to Main street, thence from Main on Erie street to the south corporation line.

The number of tracks on each street to be one except where double tracks are specified. Said grant to be for twenty-five (25) years.

H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

CANTON, O., March 10, 1891.

Sealed bids, by the perch, will be received by the commissioners of Stark County, Ohio, at their office, at 12 o'clock noon, April 7th, 1891, for two stone abutments for a bridge across the west branch of the Nimishillen creek on the Housel road. Plans and specifications will be on file in the auditor's office, Canton, Ohio, on and after April 1st, 1891, each bidder to enclose with his bid a bond in the sum of $500.00, with two resident sureties to the satisfaction of the commissioners, that he or they will enter into contract if awarded.

Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

L. A. LOICHOT, Auditor.

A Resolution

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon at next election for the purpose of paving and improving streets.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday of April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) and issue bonds therefor, to bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and payable within ten years in accordance with the act of the General Assembly of Ohio passed February 26th, 1891, for the purpose of paving and improving streets

SEC. 2. Be it further resolved that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk for ten days previous to the election, by publication in two newspapers published and of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include the same in his annual proclamation for said election.

SEC 3. Be it further resolved that the tickets of said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Issuing of bonds for paving and improving streets yes—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.

Attest JACOB R. SCHLAGEL, President of the City Council of Massillon, Ohio.

H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

A Resolution

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the city of Massillon in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of general improvement and the best interest of the city, at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal election to be held on the first Monday of April, 1891, in the city of Massillon, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000,) and issue bonds of said city therefor, to bear interest not exceeding the rate of six per cent, payable semi-annually, and payable in not less than two nor more than twenty years, in semi annual series as this council shall hereafter determine, in accordance with an act of the General Assembly of Ohio passed February 26, 1891, for the purpose of general improvement and the best interest of said city.

SEC. 2. Be it further resolved, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk of this city for ten days previous to the election, by publication in two newspapers of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include a concise statement thereof in his annual proclamation for said election.

SEC. 3. Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Authority to issue bonds—yes," "Authority to issue bonds—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.

Attest: J. R. SCHLAGEL, President of the City Council.

H. W. LOEFFLER, Clerk.

TRAVELLER'S REGISTER.

WHEELING & LAKE ERIE RAILWAY.

North.	South.
No. 4 9 00 a. m	No. 5 1 20 p.m
No. 6 1 13 p. m	No. 7 6 40 p.m
No. 8 7 50 p. m	Local 4 00 p.m
Local 7 30 a. m	

In effect June 9th at noon.

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO.

In effect June 15, 1890.

GOING EAST

No. 8	Daily	2 50 a. m
No. 10	Daily except Sunday	7 45 a. m
No. 4	Daily	1 00 p. m
No. 20	Daily except Sunday	9 25 p. m

GOING WEST

No 1	Daily except Sunday	3 25 a. m
No. 11	Daily except Sunday	10 06 a. m
No. 9	Daily	11 01 a. m
No. 3	Daily	5 48 p. m
Local		8:15 a. m

Pullman dining cars are run on trains No. and 9.

For time tables, rates of fare, baggage checks, through tickets, or any further information regarding the running of trains, apply to John A Shoemaker, agent, Massillon, O.

CLEVELAND, AKRON & COLUMBUS.

Mount Vernon and Pan Handle Route at Orrville

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 35 Express...10:10 p m	No. 2 Express...10.36 a m
No. 27 Express...4:20 a m	No. 88 Express. 8:34 p m
No. 3 Express...8:10 p m	No. 28 Express..10:32 p m

Trains 27 and 28 run daily all other trains daily except Sunday.

Trains 2 and 3 have through day coaches and 27 and 28 through Pullman sleepers between Cleveland and Cincinnati.

Trains 2 and 3 make connections with P., Ft. W. & C. trains to and from all points east and west via Orrville.

The C. L. & W. schedule is omitted.

Cook's Cotton Root COMPOUND

Composed of Cotton Root, Tansy and Pennyroyal—a recent discovery by an old physician. *Is successfully used monthly*—Safe, Effectual. Price $1, by mail, sealed. Ladies, ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound and take no substitute, or inclose 2 stamps for sealed particulars. Address POND LILY COMPANY, No. 3 Fisher Block, 131 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich.

Sold in Massillon by Z. T. Baltzly.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE PUBLIC.

The undersigned having purchased the store, fixtures and good will of the late firm of Cupples & Fribley, Druggists, at No, 7 West Main street, Massillon, respectfully announce that in the future the business will be carried on under the personal management of

Dr. F. E. Seaman,
No. 7 West Main St.
With
Mr. Fribley, Pharmacist

In immediate charge of the Prescription Department.

A full line of Carefully selected Drugs, Patent Medicines, Toilet and Fancy Goods, Stationary, Cigars and other articles usually found in a first-class Drug Store will be maintained.

A reasonable share of Public Patronage is respectfully solicited.

T. H. SEAMAN.

A Resolution.

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon for the purchasing of grounds and the erection of public buildings thereon, in the sum of $35.000 00 to the electors at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday in April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this city the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of thirty five thousand dollars ($35,000) and issue bonds therefore to bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent per annum payable semi-annually, and payable in semi-annual series in twenty years from date of issue, in accordance with an act of the general assembly of Ohio, passed February 27th, 1891, for the purposes of purchasing grounds and the erection of public buildings.

Section 2. Resolved further, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk for ten days previous to said election, by publication in two newspapers published in and of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include the same in his annual proclamation for said electson.

Section 3. Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed tgereon the words: "Issue of bonds for public buildings yes—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.

Attest JACOB SCHLAGEL, President of the City Council of Massillon, Ohio.

H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

Don't Buy Until You See Young's Stock of Buggies

Remember Sippo Valley Flour Retails at $1.25 per ¼ bb Sack.

NO HAGGLING!

We do not ask you $15 and drop to $10, to make you think you are getting a bargain in a suit worth only $8; No! we say $8 at the start off! We mark the prices plainly on the goods and every figure means to you an honest bona-fide bargain' Every article we offer you is lower in price than you can buy like quality for, elsewhere in this county. We mean this. The goods and prices are here to back our words.

ALL BRIGHT!

Fresh, New; We have'nt a single old shop-worn style in the store to unload on you! The entire stock is new, and such superb goods, splendidly made, perfect fitting, its ten to one we get the whole clothing trade of the town this year; we don't see why we shouldn't. We have the largest, finest and best selected stock ever seen here, and our prices are all below the lowest elsewhere. Everybody that wants the fullest value for his money. must buy of us.

MOTHERS OF BOYS!

Who are to be confirmed this Easter will do well to see u now. First choice is worth something. The best always g first, and our splendid suits are worth coming a good ways to see, and worth getting, after you came. The prices are sure to please. The goods are durable; made to wear; pretty in design; stylish in shape; every novelty if here; We shall take pleasure in showing you them. Give us the chance. please, and oblige

GOODHART'S MODEL ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE

Northwest Corner Main and Erie Streets, Massillon.

PALMER ELECTED.

END OF THE LONG SENATORIAL CONTEST IN ILLINOIS.

Farwell Succeeded by a Democrat—Palmer Elected on the One Hundred and Fifty-Fourth Ballot—Exciting Scenes During the Calling of Roll and Following the Announcement.

SPRINGFIELD, ILLS., March 12.—The greatest senatorial contest in the history of the state of Illinois came to an end yesterday by the election of Gen. John M. Palmer on the one hundred and fifty-fourth ballot. Cockrell and Moore voted with the Democrats and their colleague, Taubeneck, voted for Streeter. The 100 Republicans voted solidly for Cicero J. Lindley. The contest consumed more than fifty days and absorbed more than $150,000 of the people's money. The battle has been desperately fought. Members have voted for and against Palmer on couches of suffering. The chamber of the joint body has been little less than a hospital for weeks. Some of the scenes and incidents have been exceedingly touching. Members attended by their physicians and wives, turning and twisting and groaning with pain, have voted "no" to the proposition for an adjournment when their being carried to their hotels from the exciting scenes of the battle seemed necessary to save their lives. The conduct of the three F. M. B. A. members throughout the contest has been honest. Taubeneck went over to the Republicans before he left his home to attend the legislature. Hence he was never a subject of negotiation afterward. Moore and Cockrell have vacillated and hesitated, but their integrity has never been questioned.

Scenes in the Assembly Chamber.

The scenes when the joint assembly was called to order yesterday were exciting in the extreme. The only Republican senator who answered to his name was Mr. Evans. The twenty-four Democrats responded, showing twenty-five senators out of the fifty-one present. When the house roll was called Cockrell answered to his name, and the Democrats broke into cheers. When Dr. Moore responded to his name the cheering was deafening from Democratic members and spectators alike. When Taubeneck's name was reached he refused to answer, and it was the turn of the Republicans to cheer. Seventy-nine members of the house answered to their names.

The 154th Ballot.

Then the rolls were ordered called on the one hundred and fifty-fourth ballot for United States senator. The Republicans refrained from voting, but when Palmer's election was assured they plunged solidly for Lindley. When the name of Cockrell was reached he arose and asked leave to explain his vote. At length Cockrell shouted "Palmer" and the Democrats shouted and yelled and pounded their desks in wild delight. When order had been restored the vote was proceeded with uninterruptely until the name of Dr. Moore was reached. He arose and in a clear voice responded "John M. Palmer." It was then that pandemonium was let loose. The scene was indescribable. Palmer's election had been secured and the Democrats could not contain themselves. The one hundred and fifty-fourth ballot resulted as follows: Palmer, 103; Lindley, 100; Streeter, 1. Gen. John M. Palmer was the Democratic candidate and also received two votes of the Farmers' alliance members. He succeeds Charles B. Farwell, Republican.

A Fistic Encounter.

Then a fist fight broke out on the Republican side. Representative Berry had a quarrel with one of the members of the steering committee on that side, and, in the attempting to quiet him, he hit out from the shoulder several times to the discomfort of those near him. A lady near him brought him to his sober thoughts by a little coaxing, and order was again restored. The speaker finally announced the ballot, and the final vote of the contest, and formally declared Gen. Palmer elected. Then began the pandemonium. Horns and drums had been provided for the purpose. Baskets and papers were thrown into the air, and the galleries responded by a waving sea of handkerchiefs.

TO REVOLUTIONIZE TRAVEL.

Passengers to Fly Through the Air Suspended from a Cable.

CHICAGO, March 12.—The Davy Electric Suspension company, to build and operate a system of suspended carriages for the transportation of freight and passengers under the Davy letters patent, capital stock, $10,000,000, incorporators, George W. Cole, J. W. Davy, W. W. Shrader and L. A. Bryan, was granted a license to incorporate at Springfield. Its promoters claim that it will revolutionize transportation for both freight and passengers. It is modeled on much the same plan as the cash delivery devices in the stores.

Town Elections in New Jersey.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Town elections were held in New Jersey Wednesday. Some of the results are as follows: Orange went Democratic. South Orange elected the citizens' reform ticket. West Orange's ticket is nonpartisan. The same is true of East Orange. The Democrats carried Ocean township. The Republican ticket was successful at Asbury Park. The Democrats won at Atlantic City. Cape May elected a Democratic mayor. The Republicans carried Camden. The election was an exciting one and there was some bloodshed in the colored wards. The Citizens' party elected their ticket at Boundbrook. North Plainfield was carried by the Republicans.

Minnesota Prohibs Defeated.

ST. PAUL, March 12.—Wherever party lines were drawn in the municipal elections throughout Minnesota the Democrats were uniformly victorious. In the Republican strongholds of Austin, Glenwood and Albert Lea, the Democrats made clean sweeps. License carried in every direction, and the Prohibitionists were badly defeated in most of their old strongholds.

An Appropriation for the Encampment.

LANSING, MICH., March 12.—The house has passed the bill authorizing Detroit to raise $50,000 to entertain the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic next August. A bill asking $50,000 additional for the same purpose will be discussed March 19.

THE FAMOUS BATTLE GROUND

Visited by Secretary Proctor and Party—Great Future for Chickamauga.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., March 12.—The secretary of war and his party were entertained at Chickamauga park yesterday. The members of the party were driven over the famous battle ground under the leadership of Gen. H. V. Boynton, who explained, in a very interesting manner, the many points of interest, together with the positions of the several great generals on either side during the great struggle at that point. Secretary Proctor appeared to be esespecially gratified with his visit. The continued rain storm made travel very heavy, but with the exception of a broken spring on one of the carriages the party were driven through the park without accident. Upon arriving at Crawfish springs the veterans and their friends were entertained at the Park hotel. Mr. Gordon Lee, treasurer of the Crawfish company, representing Gen. Wilder, as host, the new hotel was opened for the occasion and the repast partaken of was greatly enjoyed. During the luncheon speeches were made by Secretary Proctor, Attorney General Miller, Senators Manderson, Hawley and Sanders, Representatives McKinley and Clements and Maj. John M. Carson. The speakers thanked the hosts for their entertainment, expressed great satisfaction with the situation of the park and predicted a great future for Chicamauga. In the evening Secretary Proctor and party held a public reception and shortly before midnight left Chattanooga for Atlanta, where they will spend Thursday, and proceed thence to Florida, New Orleans, Texas and the Pacific coast. Attorney General Miller will accompany Secretary Proctor as far as Florida. The congressional committees and members of the press will visit Lookout Mountain and attend a banquet in the evening and leave here about midnight on the return trip to Washington.

TO BE KILLED BY ELECTRICITY.

Six Men Awaiting the Deadly Current at Sing Sing Prison.

SING SING, N. Y., March 12.—The first electrocution to take place in Sing Sing prison is set down for the week beginning March 16, when James J. Slocum and Harris A. Smiler are to be killed. The death chair was unpacked for the first time yesterday and put in position in the death house. The condemned men are very anxious as to whether their lawyers will secure stays. They are allowed anything they wish in the way of edibles and take a half hour's exercise every day. Warden Brush expects that stays will be granted in both cases. Smiler's wife visited him at the prison. There are six condemned men awaiting electrocution in Sing Sing prison.

TILLERS OF THE SOIL.

Over 1,000 Farmers Listen to a Speech by the Hon. Jerry Simpson.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., March 12. — The monster mass meeting of the tillers of the soil of Maryland, held under the auspices of the Farmers' alliance, which began Tuesday, still continues. More than a thousand farmers were in Convention hall when Hon. Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, made his speech. He advocated the reduction of the tariff, government railroads and abolition of the army and navy. He denounced the press as being under subsidies; favored an income tax, if necessary, that would keep fortunes at $100,000. He spoke two hours and was repeatedly cheered.

HIGH TARIFF FOR FRANCE CERTAIN.

Passage of the Bill Expected—$38,000,000 Additional Revenue.

LONDON, March 12.—A Paris dispatch says that the action on the tariff shows the sentiment of the chamber overwhelmingly Protectionist. The passage of the tariff bill, substantially as from the committee, is regarded as certain. It is estimated that the tariff will bring in next year thirty-eight millions in additional revenue. The Royalists have given their adhesion to the increased duties.

Godfrey and Kilrain Will Meet.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—Godfrey and Kilrain will fight at the California Athletic club Friday night, for a purse of $5,000. Kilrain is the favorite at $100 to $60.

ANOTHER MIGHTY BLAZE.

$325,000 WORTH OF PROPERTY DESTROYED AT PITTSBURG.

The Willey Block and Germania Bank Building Completely Wiped Out—A Number of Smaller Concerns Suffer—Fourteen Steamers Keep the Flames in Check.

PITTSBURG, March 12.—Fire was discovered in the new five-story brick Willey block, at Wood and Diamond streets, at 11:40 o'clock last night. J. R. Weldin & Co., stationers, occupied three stores of the building, and Cain Bros., boots and shoes, and the Pittsburg Shoe company the fourth. The building was 75 feet front on Wood and 80 feet deep on Diamond street. It was burned to the ground, not a single thing being saved. Weldin & Co.'s stock was valued at $120,000 and was insured for $65,000, about equally divided between home and foreign companies. Most of the policies were for $2,500 and were placed with agencies. The losses of the tenants were $30,000. The building was owned by J. R. McKee, David Gregg and Mrs. D. Reed Morrison. It was valued at $50,000. fully insured.

List of the Principal Tenants.

The flames soon spread to the Germania bank building on the opposite side of Diamond street, and it was also completely destroyed. The Germania bank, R. G. Dun & Co., mercantile agency; chamber of commerce, surveyor of the port's office, Reineman's restaurant and Mutual Telegraph company were the principal tenants. The other parts of the building were used as offices of business men. The structure was valued at $80,000, and was fully insured. The loss to the occupants was roughly placed at $50,000. Both blocks will be rebuilt at once. and the same tenants will likely occupy them. The total loss on these structures amounts to $280,000. Other losses will likely swell the amount to $325,000. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to have started in the elevator shaft in the Willey building.

The Fire Discovered.

The fire was discovered in the cellar of the Willey block by Peter F. Horton and Andrew Lensidine, who were passing. The men turned in an alarm from box 14. Within ten minutes it seemed as if the entire building was a mass of flames. Another alarm was quickly sounded and by the time the first steamer arrived the alarm was made general, fourteen companies responding. Before the steamers began to play with any degree of effectiveness, the block was doomed beyond all hope of saving anything. The firemen were fighting the flames from both Wood street approaches and from both sides of Diamond street, but their speed was so rapid and the heat so intense that the powerful streams of water seemed to be dissolved to mist. The utmost alarm prevailed for the safety of the business blocks between the Willey block and Fifth avenue. The high north wall of the block which towered some three stories above these structures alone saved the entire stretch of them from there to the avenue. Great sheets of fire were constantly leaping high above this barrier, and on its stability alone depended the safety of hundreds of thousands of dollars more of property.

Several Small Blazes.

Even so far away as Liberty street and Penn avenue the waves of sparks caught everything combustible, and in many instances small fires were to be seen creeping up the fronts of business blocks. On the opposite side of Wood street the fronts of the buildings nearest the fire were in constant danger and the firemen were compelled time and again to turn their attention to small blazes that started here and there. The flames lighted up the city for squares around, and thousands of people were attracted to the terrible sight. Wood street from Sixth to Third avenue; Fifth avenue from Grant street to its lower end, Diamond street and in fact all other points of observation were almost impassible.

Two Gas Explosions.

At 1 o'clock two frightful natural gas explosions occurred in the rear of the Germania Bank building, bringing down the two top stories of the wall. The gas collected in the cellar, but its force razed the upper part of the building. The firemen working in Diamond street under the direction of Chief Evans escaped the flying bricks. The great crowds also were unharmed.

Shocked by Falling Wires.

When the front walls of the Weldin building began falling scarcely a half hour after the fire started, the electric, telephone and police wires on Wood street, weighted by numberless bricks, tumbled to the pavements. The wires were still charged and the danger drove the firemen further from the building. A wire dropped under the feet of the Duquesne hose carriage horse. The animal reared, then plunged, fell and leaped again, breaking a crowd of 500 people at Fifth avenue. Workmen from the Allegheny Light company quickly climbed the poles, cut the wires and broke the circuit, but not before dozens of spectators had been severely shocked.

The Willey Disaster.

The Willey disaster which occurred January 9, 1989, crippled the firm of J. R. Weldin & Co. to the extent of $50,000. There were 18 people killed and 45 wounded, several of whom since died.

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

The Rawlins Bill Passes the Senate, and Will Likely be a Law Within a Week or Ten Days—New Bills in the House.

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—The Rawlins bill amending the tax laws of Ohio so that manufacturers cannot enjoy exemption from taxation on their product for one year after production as heretofore passed the senate yesterday. The bill met the combined opposition of the manufacturers. It was a Farmers' alliance measure and is a great victory for that organization. Pent up arguments for and against the bill were released by the offering of an amendment by Mr. Adams, providing that the manufacturers shall not be required to include in the statement made to the assessor on the second Monday in April any of their finished manufactured products wholly manufactured subsequent to the preceding January.

Mr. Wilson, a farmer member from Madison, opposed the bill. He thought it would drive manufacturers out of the state or compel them to shut down during the winter, thereby injuring the laboring classses.

Mr. Oren opposed the amendment, and said it simply provided an exemption for the manufacturers for three months and practically killed the effects of the bill. Messrs. Nichols, Richards and Massie favored the bill. The Adams amendment was adopted by a vote of 17 to 13.

Mr. Cole offered an amendment providing that the law should not go into effect until January, 1892, which was defeated. The bill was finally passed. The bill will now go to the house for concurrence on the amendments. It is not expected that a fight will be made on it there, and it will probably be a law within a week or ten days.

Senator Wallace will introduce a bill giving Columbus federal plan of government.

Ex-Mayor C. W. Constantine and a delegation of Springfield citizens delivered to Representative McGrew a bill providing for a new form of government for Springfield, and it was introduced in the house and referred to a special committee. It is proposed to have a non-partisan commission appointed by the common pleas judge and mayor, who shall divide the city into wards.

Mr. Morrison, of Cuyahoga, introduced in the senate a bill which is of importance to insurance companies. It requires all foreign mutual fire insurance companies doing business in the state to have actual cash assets of the same amount and description as is required of mutual fire insurance companies of Ohio, after organization, invested as required by the law of the state where such a company was organized, and such companies must have either premium notes or contingent liability of the same amount as is required of similar fire insurance companies of this state.

SKIN-GRAFTING.

The Third Operation Performed on a Springfield Doctor.

SPRINGFIELD, O., March 12.—A third operation of skin-grafting was performed upon the leg of Dr. F. C. Runyan, a prominent Mason, who was injured last summer. The former graftings are growing as well as could be expected, but the third was necessary. The skin was removed from the arms of Stanley Young, Ed. Gwyn, William Barker and Drs. Little and Frankie.

Found Dead in the Gutter.

ASHTABULA, O., March 12.—Henry McCresty was found lying in a gutter near here yesterday with a bullet hole through his body and his throat cut from ear to ear. His watch and money were in his pockets, and the deed is supposed to have been done by some one who wanted revenge.

Big Damages.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 12.—Mrs. Lizzie Rodgers was given a verdict of $7,125 damages against the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad, the jury having been out two days. Her husband was an engineer on the road and was killed in a collision at Alliquippa.

The Elliotts Indicted for Murder.

COLUMBUS, O., March 12.—After examining over 100 witnesses the grand jury found two indictments each against W. J. Elliott and P. J. Elliott for murder in the first degree for jointly killing A. C. Osborn and W. L. Hughes, the innocent spectator.

A Colored Youth Shoots His Rival.

COLUMBUS, March 12. — Jealousy caused a sensational shooting affray between two colored youths. John Clay and Will White have been visiting a woman named Miller. White shot Clay twice, but the wounds are not dangerous.

Young Lady Burned to Death.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 12.—Miss Ida Burkey, a young lady residing at Petersburg, this county, while standing in front of a grate, had her clothing ignited, causing injuries that resulted in her death after intense suffering.

PENSACOLA, FLA., March 12.—Congressman Breckinridge was much better yesterday. The physician in attendance regards his condition as favorable.

Whitelaw Reid's Historical Essay.

LONDON, March 12.—Whitelaw Reid has written a brief and masterly historical essay as an introduction to the Talyrand memoirs.

ADVICES FROM CHINA.

THREE HUNDRED PIRATES AND OTHER CRIMINALS BEHEADED.

The Town of Chobo Plundered and Burned by Rebels—Russian Whalers Evading the Law—Cause of the Chin Yun Bank Failure—Other Startling News.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12. — The steamer City of Peking arrived from Hong Kong and Yokahama yesterday bringing advices that some 300 pirates, robbers and other criminals were beheaded in Kwantung province during the last few days of the Chinese new year. The town of Chobo, on the banks of the Black river, Tonkin, was surprised late in January by a band of 500 rebels, plundered and burned. The French resident was shot and decapitated and two other French officials were killed. The rest of the Europeans managed to escape, some by swimming across the river and others by hiding in the bushes. Several of the pirates who robbed the British steamer Namoa of $30,000 and killed the captain and some of the crew have been arrested, including, it is said, the chief.

Japanese Authorities Puzzled.

Russian vessels are capturing whales off the coast of Sado, Japan. To evade the law the whalers are manned by Japanese and fly the Japanese flag. The Japanese authorities are puzzled to know how to act in the matter. The Japanese parliament has made an appropriation to be used in the study of Koch's remedy, and three or four Japanese physicians will soon proceed to Germany. A Siam paper says a report is current that a storm raged at Champon, destroying 1,200 houses and causing the flooding of the whole country.

A $1,200,000 Fire at Bangkok.

The losses arising out of the fire at Bangkok in January are estimated at $1,200,000. Nine persons were burned to death. The Chin Yun bank of Shanghai has failed, with liabilities of 400,000 taels. The bank had a branch in Hong Kong in charge of the manager's son. Some sharpers got hold of the young man and induced him to speculate in Mexican dollars. He lost 150,000 taels in one transaction and precipitated the failure. The Canadian Pacific company's steamer Empress of India is daily expected at Hong Kong. Among passengers who will come to San Francisco is the Czarewich of Russia. The Grand Duke George, his brother has returned to St. Petersburg from Bombay on account of sickness.

The Brayton Ives Sale Continues.

NEW YORK, March 12.—The sale of the Brayton Ives collection of Oriental art objects was continued yesterday. The gem of the sale was a flawless crystal ball, which was bought by F. C. Manville, of Brooklyn, for $2,800. The lot offered yesterday composed a number of inros or medicine boxes, pipes and pipe cases, pouches, gold ornaments. Japanese metal work, cloisoune and other enamel and Japanese daggers and swords. The total for the day's sale was $9,892.50.

To Prohibit Sunday Trains.

NASHVILLE, TENN., March 12.—The house of representatives passed a bill prohibiting the running of freight and excursion trains on Sunday, with the exception of those carrying fruit and live stock.

Wolff's ACME Blacking

IS WATERPROOF.
A HANDSOME POLISH.
A LEATHER PRESERVER.
NO BRUSHING REQUIRED.
Shoes can be washed daily.
Used by men, women and children.

Quite a surprise to you? Well, I heard so much of PIK-RON TRY IT. A PAINT THAT ONE CAN SEE THROUGH. I concluded to paint this floor with it. Aint it a big improvement?

Sold Everywhere.
WOLFF & RANDOLPH, Philadelphia.

PIK-RON will ornament your windows as well as your floor. Try it on glass, china, metal or any article you want to paint.

CHAMBERLAIN'S
Eye and Skin Ointment.

A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed 25 and 50 cent boxes for sale by

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THE WORLD OF WANTS

This column is the best read department in THE INDEPENDENT. The publishers are able to guarantee a careful reading of every advertisement inserted. Its usefulness has been particularly well proven in cases of articles lost and found. Hundreds of dollars worth of missing property has,through this medium, been restored to its owners. Copy must be left not later than 10 a. m. to insure insertion the same day. An even charge of 25 cents is made for six publications, advertisement not to exceed four lines.

FOR RENT.

HOUSE—A nine roomed house on East North street opposite the High School building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McClymonds. 26-tf

HOUSE—A seven room house on North Prospect street. Call on Jos. Coleman, Jewelry store, No. 5 South Erie street. 3 6t

HOUSE—Five room house, with cellar. Good repair centrally located. Call at No. 20 North East St. 9-6t

HOUSE—At 98 East Cherry street, 6 rooms and basement Apply to Henry Snyder at Snyder's shoe store. 10

ROOMS—Two upper rooms on the second floor of the Beatty block over No. 2 East Main St. Enquire of H. Beatty, or W. H. McMillan. 23.tf

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WANTED

GIRL—A middle aged girl for chamber work. Apply at Waverly Hotel. 12-6t-

MAN—A man understanding the grocery business to correspond concerning a good business opportunity. An established business that a grocer could run as a branch. Address Wm. L. Reinoehl, Sippo P. O., Ohio. 12-6t

BUSINESS MAN—The United States Life Ins. Co., of New York, organized in 1850, desires to secure the services of a first-class business man to look after their interests at Massillon. Previous experience not necessary. Must be honest, industrious, well acquainted and have good standing. Address E. W. Christy, Manager, 106 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, O. 12-tf

SALESMAN—An energetic man to push our manufactures on this ground. One of our agents earned $5,200 last year. Address, P. O. box 1871, New York. f27-tf

SECRETARIES and ORGANIZERS—For an assessment order paying $100 in 6 months at an estimated cost of $14 Reputable men and women can secure liberal compensation. Address H. D. Reed, American House, Cleveland. 14

For Sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A new house of 5 rooms, elegantly finished interior. Well located. on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-tf

FOR SALE.

HOUSE A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premises. 29-tf

HOUSE—A seven roomed house and bath room also a good stable and other necessary out buildings, cistern, and fruit trees; situated at the corner of Duncan and Green streets. Lot 60x185 feet. Inquire on the premises. f5—t

HOUSE—A six room house, No. 204 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap. 24-tf

HOUSE AND LOT—Corner Hill and Chestnut street; seven rooms and summer kitchen Lot 80x115; excellent well of water, cistern and city water, Inquire on the premises, No. 93 N. Hill street. 12-tf

HOUSE—At moderate priced, on easy terms, A nine roomed house on east North street. opposite the High school building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McClymonds. 26-tf

HOUSE AND LOT—With good barn, on West Main street. Inquire of Henry Walters, No. 165, West Main Stieet. 27-6t

HOUSE—An elegant house and lot, good well and cistern, double coal house, ample room on lot for a business block, corner West Tremont and Park St. Call on J. Lutz, 56 E. Oak St. 4-6t

HOUSE AND LOT—A four room house No. 46 Cliff street, in good repair. Any one wishing to purchase should call a premises. Edwin Reese. 9-tf

HOUSE—I offer at private sale my desirable residence at the corner of Park and Green streets. The building contains five rooms, has a furnace in it; an out-kitchen; city water and cistern. The lot is 60x1 0 feet, and con ains a number of choice fruit trees. For terms or other information call on H. M. Ramsour. 12-tf

JERSEY COWS—Two first-class Jersey cows. Apply to P. G. Albright Administrator. 16

LIMESTONE—Crushed limestone for walks, in large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R Skinner. 819-tf

LOTS.—Two fine lots on West Tremont street, close to school house. Plenty of fruit and shade trees, and flag walks laid. Inquire of S. Burd, 74 Jarvis Avenue. 11-6t

MODERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice. Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Paul. 19-6t

PIANO—A good square piano. Will sell cheap as I expect to leave town. Mrs. J. F. Paul. No. 22 Wellman street 80-tf

TWO HORSES, 2 delivery wagons, 1 large refrigerator, 1 elevator, 1 self measuring oil pump and tank. Call at Dielhenn's grocery, No. 24 E. Main street. 9-tf

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

STATESMEN ORATORS.

MEMBERS OF THE LATE FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS WHO SPOKE WELL.

Holman, the Treasury's Watch Dog. Boutelle and His Bell-Like Voice. McKinley and His Dignity—Breckinridge, the Silver Haired.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The person in search of an example of the true Delsartian grace in oratory would scarcely look for it in the house of representatives. Even if he would be content with a proper observance of the ordinary rules of speech making laid down by those who profess to teach the art, it is probable that he would be sadly disappointed if he were to expect to see them practiced by the members of the national legislature. The average member of congress says what he has to say as well as he can and then sits down, troubling himself very little about the manner of his saying it so long as his words are parliamentary. There is not one who would dare to expose himself to the ridicule of his colleagues on the floor by adopting any set of rules for his guidance as to the manner of delivering a speech, even if he had the time to prepare himself in that way, for the members are very quick to see and make fun of mannerisms in debate. Nevertheless there were orators of no mean ability in the house of representatives whose session has just closed, and every one of them has a characteristic mannerism by which he is as easily recognized as by his voice or face.

There is Judge Holman, for instance. Had it not been for the failure of his voice he would have been one of the most powerful debaters; as he is one of the most interesting of talkers. Always well up on the subjects coming before the house, experienced in procedure, strong in argument, if his voice was more effective he would be a powerful ally on the side of any measure. Unfortunately, it is with difficulty that the house can catch what he has to say. When he talks you may be sure that he will have the forefinger of his right hand pointed in the direction of some member whose attention he particularly wishes to attract, and his arm will be going up and down in a faithful imitation of a pump handle, emphasizing every other word. He has only one variation to this method, and that is when, in his capacity of "watch dog of the treasury," he feels called upon to object to some pending measure. Then he jumps up from his seat, sticks out that forefinger of his at a considerable elevation over his head, but directed at the speaker, and ejaculates "I object." That usually settles the matter, for Mr. Holman is a dogged fighter, and is not easily persuaded to withdraw an objection once made.

Boutelle is an entirely different kind of an orator from Mr. Holman. With a clear, strong voice, resonant as a bell, he is heard without difficulty in all parts of the house, and in a tumult his loud tones can be distinguished above all the shouting and confusion. Instead of pointing out one finger, Boutelle finds it necessary to use his whole fist for emphasis, and with clinched hand he bangs the air or his desk, as the case may be, as though he was repelling boarders on his old ship as in days of yore. He has the eye and the disposition of the hawk, and he swoops down on unwary members without mercy. He is very fond of interrupting Democratic speakers to make some sarcastic allusion to the past, and he rubs the pepper of reconstruction into the old wounds of the Confederate veterans at every opportunity.

Another distinct type of oratory is that which characterizes McKinley. Suave, calm and dignified, he never gets excited. He is impressive in debate and the words roll from his lips in well rounded sentences. His voice is clear and well modulated. He has a habit when making a particularly pointed remark of stretching out his forefingers and thumbs to the widest extent, allowing the other three fingers of both hands to lie passive on the palms.

Probably the member who uses gestures the least is silver haired Breckinridge, of Kentucky. Standing in the middle of an aisle, he rests his hands on two desks, and his voice, at first husky, gradually becomes as clear as a flute's notes. He is a model of courtesy, and many of his speeches are masterpieces of eloquence. In debate his face has a roseate flush, and his pale blue eyes flash with intelligence. Greenhalge, of Massachusetts, is another fine orator whose gestures are few but well chosen. He speaks calmly and without passion, but an antagonist should not feel reassured by his engaging air, for Greenhalge's arguments are strung with sarcasm bitter and biting, and his thrusts are keen and slashing. He made his reputation by a speech on a contested election case, and since then there are few who have had the temerity to interrupt him in debate.

The greatest orator of them all in the opinion of many is Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio. His speeches are delivered with all the fire and vim of a man greatly in earnest, and that, according to Dan Dougherty, is the test of all others of an orator. Butterworth is a wit, and his speeches always sparkle with humorous sallies at the expense of his fellow members—or, rather, at the expense of their argument, for he is never personal—and with good stories to illustrate his points. His gestures are graceful and more varied than those of any other speaker on the floor. Now he will take on a confidential air and extend his forefinger in a crook, as though he were buttonholing the whole house, and then he will throw forward both arms, with hands flat and open, as much as to say that no sensible man could ask for more of an explanation than that he had given. One would never imagine from the merry twinkle of his eyes that he came from good old Quaker stock, but such is the fact, though he has dropped everything that might connect him with his ancestors, and is an interested onlooker at the Washington balls, a participator in all the winter gayeties, and even goes to the german with his daughter.

Mr. Crisp, of Georgia, is a good talker. His reputation for courtesy in debate and prowess in dealing with public questions is quite the equal of that of Mr. Carlisle, whom he also resembles in the serious tone of his nature. His speech against Mr. Reed's new rules was the gem of that controversy. It was caustic to the last degree, but full of dignity, and his party friends were delighted with it. His delivery is quiet and dispassionate, and he relies more upon the force of his logic than upon the brilliancy of his diction.

Mr. Cannon, of Illinois, is one of the old timers, and it is a sight well worth seeing to hear him make a speech, as an Irishman might say. "Joe," as he is familiarly and affectionately called by his colleagues, gets a good deal excited when he has the floor on an important matter. His arms whirl around his head and he pounds his desk until it is almost certain that there will be a cabinet maker's bill to pay for repairs. His hair gets disheveled from the frequency with which he runs his hands through it, and he usually requires a clear gangway up and down the aisle to enable him to rid himself of his flow of words with comfort to himself. Now he walks menacingly down the aisle toward the speaker, shaking his fist as though he would knock the very life out of him; then he turns suddenly toward a member beside him, and looking him straight in the eye argues with him, as though he was the only person in hearing distance, and again he darts back to his desk and continues his volley as from a coign of vantage. Notwithstanding his peculiar and somewhat exciting delivery, Cannon is a good and forcible talker, and he never gets on his feet for nothing.

A new orator made his appearance in the congress just closed. He hailed from Iowa, and his name is Jonathan P. Dolliver. He has a ringing voice, and he utters rhythmic sentences with marvelous fluency. His gestures are graceful, and he speaks with the greatest ease. He is only 33 years of age, and has already gained an enviable reputation for himself in his own state. Orrin C. Moore, of New Hampshire, is another of the new members who jumped into the front rank of orators in the Fifty-first congress. Tall and thin himself, his sentences are short and pithy. He is picturesque and original in his illustrations, and his logic is of a forceful character. Barnes, the heavy weight from Georgia, is a good speaker, but on account of his weight does not often address the house. When he does he attracts attention. His language is graceful, but his gestures are somewhat confined, not at all to be wondered at when it is considered that he weighs over 400 pounds. Usually during his speech his hands rest comfortably on his capacious waistcoat, and he does not do much walking about while talking.

One of the queerest talkers is Wilson, of Washington. He has a thin, piping voice, rather unpleasant to the ear and reminding one of the efforts of a ventriloquist. Mr. Mason, of Chicago, is amusing to watch on the floor. While talking his round, chubby face gets redder and redder, his hair becomes disordered, he stands now on one foot, now on the other, and his handkerchief is frequently called into requisition to mop the perspiration engendered by his exertions from the back of his neck. It is curious, but Mr. Mason does not perspire on the forehead as most men do. His collar, after the delivery of one of his gymnastic speeches, is a sight to see, and the bow of his necktie invariably crawls around and rests under his left ear. Little Washington, of Tennessee, jumps around while making a speech, doubles himself up as though he had the colic, and usually is so hoarse before he is half way through that his own mother would not recognize his voice.

Springer, of Illinois, would find it impossible to continue talking if somebody surreptitiously removed his spectacles. Not that he needs the glasses to talk with, but he has become so accustomed to holding them in his hand and shaking them at the speaker that he would lose the thread of his discourse and his voice together unless he could have them with him. His method of using them is somewhat peculiar. On rising to address the chair Mr. Springer takes off the spectacles from his nose, extends his arm mechanically, shakes his glasses by the handle three times at the speaker (nobody ever saw him shake them only once or twice or even four times—it is always three), says "Mr. Speaker," and then his arm drops again. Of course it takes longer to describe it than for him to do it, but the peculiar part about it is that the performance is exactly the same every time, once a day or twice a day, at the end as at the beginning of the session.

McMillin, of Tennessee, is a nervous talker, too thoroughly in earnest to waste words in jokes. Silver Dollar Bland has two entirely different voices. When he is talking about the free coinage of silver his voice seems to catch some of the metallic ring associated with his pet hobby. But on other occasions it sounds as though he had a turnip in his mouth and could not get rid of it. Payson, of Illinois, is a bright, quick, sharp debater, always ready and always strong in argument. His voice is one of the best in the house, and its full, round and clear tones can be heard even in the cloak rooms. Kerr, of Iowa, has a funny voice, and his actions are what in a schoolboy would be called "sassy." Nothing pleases him so much as to get up and interrupt a speaker by asking questions. That his questions are generally not in the least pertinent to the subject matter in hand is not of the least concern to him. He seems to think that it was his mission, when he was sent to congress, to ask questions, and he has been doing it ever since. He would have resigned long before this if there had been a rule forbidding the interruption of members during a speech.

WALTER WELLMAN.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

The brewery at Lima was recently sold at a viewer's sale to local capitalists for $22,000.

Youngstown had seventy-four fires last year, and the losses exceeded the insurance only $13,693.

The discovery of a ten-foot vein of cannel coal near Fredericktown is causing excitement among Columbiana county farmers.

J. W. Reynolds and Peter Perkins, of Elkton, are testing their patent at Chicago for hoisting derailed locomotives into position. It is said an engine was put on the track in ten minutes by this patent.

Miners Issue a Call for a Convention.

COLUMBUS, March 12.—The United Mine Workers have issued a call for a convention at Pittsburg, April 7 to meet coal operators, so as to adjust a scale of prices for the ensuing year.

Another Kerosene Lamp Fatality.

LIMA, O., March 12.—Mrs. O. S. Butterfield, wife of a bridge foreman on the Ft. Wayne railroad, was fatally burned while filling lamps with coal oil.

Food Supplies for the Indians.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The commissioner of Indian affairs has awarded the contract for supplying 4,000 stock cattle to the Osage Indians to Charles W. Burt, of Arkansas City, Kan., at $11.89 per head, and a like amount to the same Indians to Ike T. Pryor, of Austin, Tex., at $11.43 per head. In accordance with the provisions of the Indian appropriation bill the commissioner has contracted for additional food supplies to the Sioux Indians as follows: 1,300,000 pounds of beef at $4 per hundred weight, to be delivered at the Pine Ridge agency; $430,000 pounds of corn at $1.41 per hundred weight, to be delivered at the standing Rock agency; 280,000 pounds of corn at $1.35, to be delivered at the Cheyenne River agency, and 210,000 ponnds of corn at $1.16 3-4 per hundred weight, to be delivered at Valentine, Neb., for the Rosebud agency.

To Arbitrate the Behring Sea Trouble.

WASHINGTON, March 12. — Nothing could be learned at the state department as to whether Secretary Blaine would accept the terms of arbitration set forth in the latest dispatch which he had received from Lord Salisbury in regard to the Behring sea trouble. But that the outcome will be arbitration no one doubts. Mr. Blaine will, it is thought, endeavor to make some changes in the scheme which Lord Salisbury has embodied, but whether he is or is not successful in that effort arbitration will ensue. Members of congress who were spoken to about the matter expressed gratification at the prospect of a peaceful solution of what might have been a difficult question to handle.

Missouri Governor Approves a Measure.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., March 12.—The governor has approved the senate bill requiring every railroad company of 150 miles or more in length in this state and which railroad was constructed under a franchise or charter from this state to have its general offices for the control, operation and management of such railroad located in this state. The penalty for violating the law is forfeiture of charter. The bill, as it has an emergency clause, is considered purely a local measure to prevent the Missouri, Kansas and Texas from removing its offices from Sedalia, Mo., to Parsons, Kan.

A Great Exhibit of Oranges.

LOS ANGELS, CAL., March 12.—The state citrus fair was formally opened at Hazzard's pavillion yesterday. After three weeks of arduous work the many designs were completed in time for the opening. The pavillion is handsomely decorated and lighted by electricity. Fourteen special designs are worked out in oranges, and over 1,000,000 oranges were used in making the designs and exhibits. Eight counties of Southern California are represented, and there are 350 exhibits, divided into 27 classes. The fair exceeds the one given last year in magnitude and excellence of display.

The New York Bank Wrecker Convicted.

NEW YORK, March 12.—James A. Simmons, the bank wrecker, was convicted on the first of the five indictments against him by a jury in the United States court last night, and with this conviction ends the last of the criminal cases that grew out of the downfall of three banks in this city a year ago last winter. The verdict was a terrible surprise to the wealthy prisoner, and he plainly showed his agitation when the verdict was announced. The jury has been out since 5 o'clock of Tuesday afternoon. The verdict finds the prisoner guilty of first count, which charged Simmons with aiding and abetting Peter J. Claasen in embezzling $622,000 in bonds of the Sixth National bank. The prisoner was remanded to await sentence. An appeal will probably be taken.

The President Shot Six Duck.

BALTIMORE. MD., March 12.—President Harrison and his party were blessed with fairly good luck in duck shooting at Bengies, Md., yesterday. The president was in the blind from daylight until late in the afternoon and as a result of his patience shot six duck. The other members of the party secured ten. The president did not miss a shot and was much elated over his success. Vice President Thomson of the Pennsylvania Railroad arrived in time to dine with President Harrison.

A Famous Ocean Resort Changes Hands.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., March 12.—Leland's famous Ocean hotel at Long Branch was sold yesterday at foreclosure sale for $68,075 to Col. George W. Bliss, of New York. The property is one of the finest along the coast. It has an elegant ocean bluff and the hotel is, without doubt, one of the best known hosteleries in the country and previous to the erection of the ocean pier just in front of it was one of the best paying. The erection of the pier proved rather disastrous. The furniture was not included in the sale.

A Forger Leaves for Parts Unknown.

LONDON, O., March 12.—Fred. C. Gillette, a prominent real estate agent and member of the London council, has created a sensation by leaving for parts unknown, after committing numerous forgeries. His wife, who is highly connected and has considerable property, is one of his victims. Mr. Young, a Springfield money agent, was caught for $500. Gillette's forgeries were exposed by Young, who came to London to collect a note sold him last week by Gillette.

A Blessing to Humanity.

This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both immediate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

Mr. James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill., says: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day and would insist on everyone who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

If your House is on Fire

You put water on the burning timbers, not the smoke. And if you have catarrh you should attack the disease in the blood, not in your nose. Remove the impure cause, and the local effect subsides. To do this, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, which radically and permanently cures catarrh. It also strengthens the nerves. Be sure to get only Hoods Sarsaparilla.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Light house.

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The following item has been going the rounds of the press, and as our druggist, Morganthaler & Heister, handle the goods, it may interest our readers:

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STREET COMMISSIONER

The name of E. B. Bayliss is announced as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election.

Chas. W. Block is announced as a candidate for the office of Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primaries.

L. S. Buttermore is announced as a candidate for street commissioner subject to the Republican primary election.

The name of Thomas Volkmor is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election.

John B. Snyder, at request of many citizens, announces himself a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary election.

The name of Wm. Vogt is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

The name of Joseph Healey is announced as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election.

Zek. Keller is announced as candidate for street commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

COUNCIL.

The name of E. J. Hamill is announced as a candidate for Council from the Third Ward, subject to the Republican primaries.

ASSESSOR.

Thomas Hopkinson is announced as a candidate for assessor in the third ward.

CITY TREASURER.

The name of Paul Kirchhofer is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the direction of the Democratic primary election.

Please announce the name of L. A. Koons as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election. MANY REPUBLICANS.

To my inquiring friends: I wish to inform you that I am a candidate for city treasurer subject to the decision of the Republican nomination. JACOB W. FOLTZ.

The name of Louis List is announced as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election

CITY SOLICITOR.

The name of E. G. Willison is announced as a candidate for City solicitor, subject to the Republican nomination.

The name of D. F. Reinoehl is announced as a candidate for City Solicitor, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

I. B. Dangler is announced as a candidate for township trustee, subject to the Republican primary election.

TOWNSHIP TREASURER

The name of Martin Schafer is announced as a Republican candidate for township treasurer.

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